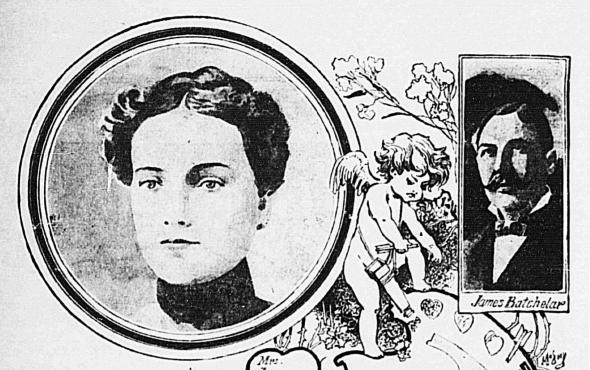
500 LETTERS TO "TOOTSEY;" RAID AGAIN NOW SHE SUES FOR \$25,000.



Mrs. Blanch Wilma Kadowsky Sues Wealthy James Batchelar for Damages for Alleged Breach of Promise After Throwing Stones at the Windows of His House.

If any one doubts that "Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned" a call on Mrs. Blanche Wilma Kadowsky at No. 41 West Sixty-fourth street may con

She is suing wealthy James Batchelar of No. 233 Summit avenue, Jersey City for \$25,000 for breach of promise and or Monday night she stoned the windows of the house where James has installed

It began on Oct. 30, 1897, when she read this advertisement:

ess standing, with \$40,000, wishes to corres gents. Address Sincerity, box 473 ---

she said to-day. "I don't know who it interested me. True, my husband is a sick man, but I-well, I answered asking him what were his intentions

"He explained, saying my letter in terested him more than any other and that he was looking for a wife or

suit him because 'I can't marry and wouldn't be a housekeeper for any man. sick and that he gave me too privilege if I found a decent, respectable businers man, if he liked me and I like i bim, to have him for my friend, for it my my husband, he will be better after he

"To that he said I could allow him to call on me, saying my letter was entirely different from any of the others he had received. We exchanged a few letters-one every day-and then he

tlemanly; not impertinent but nice. He er if I introduced him to my husband 'Well,' I said to myself, 'he is a nice, re-

unfaithful wife. He lived in the same but in a separate room.

"Well, for four years Batchelar came wer from Jersey City every night, rain or shine or enow, and I've got 500 lov letters from him. They are fervid. He

"I owned my own house

Park avenue. I put a second mortgage on it to get money to buy furniture and nice things for Jim and me to go keep

Giegerich. He was my third huspand and he begged of me not to throw him law ella Kadowsky were great friends for a long I shall not live much longer. Wait, I have a good insurance, and

"And I did not listen! Now I have

Court Discharges Eugene Sullivan and Thirteen Others in Jersey City.

FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE.

Foreman Peterson, of the Hudson County Grand Jury, Begins Poolroom Crusade.

he authorities or Hudson County have en making for months on the saloon of Eugene Sullivan, at No. 189 Pavonia avenue, Jersey City, in an atempt to have him convicted on the harge of running a pool-room was made last night by the police. It the others have-Sullivan and the thireen other prisoners taken being discharged in court to-day for lack of

Suilivan's place has long been a matte much interest throughout Hudson County. Rumor has it that since the days of the old Guttenburg track Palivan has been openly conducting a poolroom in his Pavonia avenue saloon. When reformers have closed things up in New York temporarily, it is reported hat his business was immense.

Time and again raids have been made and the case against Sullivan has prosecution finding it impossible to ob-tain evidence enough to warrant the prisoners being held.

Grand Jury Work.

George W. Peterson, manager of the inited States Express Company in Jerev City and foreman of the Hudson ounty Grand Jury, was responsible for ast night's raid.

As soon as he was sworn in as forenan Mr. Peterson started action against Sullivan. Three previous Grand Juries refused to take action against the alleged saloon-keeper, and two of them were discharged after being cenured by Judges Blair and Collins in he Cour: of General Sessions for their

Ones.

and distributed them.

possible.

Santa Claus.

applest Christmas eves

Fifty children in the Laura Franklin

Free Hospital laughed and chattered

with joy last night while Nurse Made

line Sammons, attired as Santa Claus.

nificent Santa Claus a pillar of flame

the hospital that Miss Sammons was

the green branches and little patches of cotton sprinkled about liberally looked

For days Miss Sammons had been tell

When Peterson brought the case of Sullivan up before the present Grand Jury last Friday there was a hot argument. After a wrangle the vote to desulted in a tie. Eleven members wanted

number did not. There was one member absent.

No bill was returned against the alleged saloonkeeper, but Peterson proceeded against him. Frederick Ockery, Peterson's representative, went to Sullivan's yesterday afternoon. He says he placed a bet of E on a norse and was given twice that amount when the horse won.

Captain Acts Quickly.

"I said; 'No; I don't throw a man have lived happily with for fifteen years out into the street, sick and without a cent,' and I gave kadowsky \$1,500.

Found Another Letter.

It was May 6 that Batchelar was here to dinner and 10 o'clock supper, When he threw down his overcoat he dropped a letter from another woman. She lived in Lyons, N. Y. I found it, My eyes were opened, I went over to Jersey City 10 see him about it. He laughed at me, and then I had twenty-live copies of the letter made and sent them to all his friends.

"He sneered at me and in November he married the woman. When I found that not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my proporty and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not I had to see my property and had not little to the bar. The bartender pointed to H lying on the bar and told Ockery it was his.

When Justice McCormick heard this story, he told him that there was no widence to show that Sullivan was running a pool-room and discharged all the prisoners, despite Police Chief Murphy's property and had not seen a man take mency nor was any record made of his bet, il did not know that his horse to show that Sullivan was running a pool-room and discharged all the prisoners, despite Police Chief Murphy's property and the property and the had potential to the had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called that he had placed 32 on a table and called

prisoners, despite Police Chief Murphy's tequest that an adjournment be taken until he could secure new evidence. In several recent campaigns the Republicans have made much capital out of Sullivan's alleged pool-room. They claimed that he was supported by the Democrats and that he did not fear prosecution. Mayor-elect Murk M. Fagan attributed his election to the campaign fight the Republicans waged against Sullivan.

CALLED TO DOOR

FARMER ASSASSINATED BY THREE MASKED MEN.

trate Body Beore Attacking

CATSKILL, N. Y., Dec. 25,-Some time i had this to do over again I the home of Peter Hollenback, an aged of the city. The suspenders were of the At Womelsdorf, east of this city. "If I had this to do over dain I the nome of Peter Honemback, an age would not kill her," he said. "I did not intend to kill her, I meant to take my and wealthy farmer, residing near the sinuous, limber kind, which are some bar of pig from fen from a loaned on the limit of the purpose and also the re- kill station on the New York Central the devices to make them easy on the Wood, blocking passenger and freight volver.

"After the struggle in which I killed her. I turned the revolver on myself, but there were no more bullers, and when I to looked at the acid I decided that it would have the revolver to myself, but the doorway.

After firing four shots into the devi

> FATAL FALL ON STAIRS. John P. Smith Oles Almost In- know he had money. stantly Afer Tumble.

John F. Smith, fifty years old, of No. 25 East One Hundred and Twenty-third and Thirty-fifth street.

WOMAN SANTA CLAUS BURNS AT HOSPITAL XMAS TREE.



NURSE BURNED AT HOSPITAL CHRISTMAS TREE. spel attached to the hospital. Every-1

very head turned in the direction of hat wonderful tree, ablaze with light

there stepped upon the

idea of giving the poor little tots in the please

laden with the glittering, tinsel, gold | snow, and silver balls, great cornucopias burst-ing with candy, little and big dolls and many other things.

Hundreds of candles twinkled through

After one first scream of terror Miss Sammons, calm, thinking more of the chiliren than of herself, deliberately attempted to pluck off the burning

ON THE GAS.

Children at the Laura Minnie Schultz Attempts Suicide in the Ariston Hote!

MAY DIE IN HOSPITAL.

Had Been Employed in the St. James Apartment-House Since Last October.

Minnie Schultz, a handsome young oman of refinement apparently and ell dressed, is in Harlem Hospital charged with attempted suicide. She was found this morning in the Ariston Hotel, at One Hundred and Sixth street and Third avenue with one end of a rubber tube in her mouth. The other

t 9 o'clock last night. She was very The clerk hesitated about giving her a

At 6.3) o'clock the barrender, who comed next to her, smelled gas. Ho nformed the proprietor, Philip Schneld-wind, who called Policeman Webster. The policeman broke down the door of e woman's room, found her still alive, ried artificial respiration, and soon had er restored to consciousness.

he way to Harlem Hospital the young soman collapsed again, and the physitians are non-committal as to her hances of recovery.

It was learned that the girl had been employed at the St. James apartment-There an Evening World reporter was told she was a storeroom girl. She had worked there since October last. Little was known of her there and no one could give any reason for her attempted

CHRISTMAS IN SING SING.

Theatrical Performance, Feasting

ohnson celebrated Christmas Day in prison, performers from Manhattan present, and they seemed greatly to en-

This was ex-Wardman Bissert's first take as much interest in the entertain-

The ordinary bill of fare was discarded to various good things by the Warden. Many of them received boxes from relatives and friends. Each prisoner got a present of three cigars from Warden Johnson. den Johnson.

There was no work done to-day in the prison, and after the entertainment the inmates passed the time as best they could in their cells.

MISS REGAN IS INSANE.

State Hospital.

suddenly went Insane while visiting her day. She was removed to the Manhat-

HIS CHRISTMAS GIFT TO WIFE, DEATH; BELL THOUGHT HER GREETING FALSE

(Continued from First Page.)

making and drank a toast to the merriness of to-day in the punch that his hosts provided.

Prepared for Double Crime.

He said nothing to his wife of the re-volver that he carried in his pocket, bought two days before, nor of the bat-tle of carbolic acid that sai on the

Lucked Courage to Die.

He would kill himself, be bought two days before, nor of the hottle of carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored the of carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand at home-part of it poored to carbolic acid that sat on the washkand and book which the had told her he had looked for in vain during the day. She told him that it was in the bureau drawer, but each time he came back he said he could not find it. But every time he went to this home he looked at the acid on the washstand and pulled the pistol from his pocket and examined the evil bullets that peered from the chambers.

It was after midnight when husband and where the acid content of the basement. Before the cull bullets that peered from the went to tell who he was and it was acid for that purpose and also the relatively of the wash of all others would raise his voice and other was successful. They entered their home and went to the kitchen in the basement. Before the could take her hat off he began again. She was sick of it all. She to the hought it best to take no chances and its that the wash that on the Christmas Eve him which is contained the cull docted that it would not have the could acid the acid of the could acid the acid of the came behind, jibing at her.

They entered their home and went to the kitchen in the basement. Before the could take her hat off he began again. She was sick of it all. She to the hought it best to take no chances and its best to take no chances and its best to take no

Kilfed in Her Innocence.

Then the brute rose up in Bell and poured over. He colled his pistol from his pocket and leveled it at his wife's nead. With a green she sprang at him, realizing that he meant to kill her for an uncommitted crime.

Seign his right arm she raised it with the strength of desperation and held it above his head. One, two three four times the weapon was discharged as they swayed back and forth in the room, and each hall went into the ceiting. There was but one more bullet in the revolver and if her strength could last she might be saved, but, in her condition, she was too sweak.

The man was too much for her, Slowly he hulled the weapon down to the level of her head and then he fired that his bullet. It crashed into her brain through her left eye and she fell limp and lifeless on the foor, dead with her unborn child the cause of it all.

The light began to ulter into the brain will be was still called the was pondent for several days.

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the dead wife at his feet. He saw her hat tumbled over on her head and the cloak beside the body where it had fallen in the struggle.

Lucked Courage to Die

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He looked at the empty revolver and breaking it threw it on the floor he neath the table. His wife was dead. He would kill himself, he thought. He went to where the acid stood and he picked up the cup. It was not inviting and all the stories he had ever read of its horrible burning pain came to him. He set it down and went out into the street, lacking the courage to take his own life.

Policeman Plant, of the Raiph avenue station, was at Saratogy avenue and Broadway when Bell went up to him.

Broadway when Bell went up to him.

"Bell," said the Magistrate, "on thi

HIM ALL HIS MONEY.

BECAUSE THEY UNFASTENED TWO DESTRUCTIVE WRECKS HANLY LOST HIS ROLL.

Rendings Them and Rendinsted Cash to Well.

penders. Daniel Hanty whose post County, N. Y. says he was robbed a

Hanly was stopping at the West Shore Hotel, Eleventh avenue and Forty- No somer had this wreck been second street. He engaged in conversa- cleared than notice was received in this on the evening of his arrival in the city, and confided to them that he wished to see the Tendericin. He sail in the West | ahead, that broke in two sections. The

With one of these chance acquintance a resort at the corner of Sixta avenue "No, sir. I am guilty. I think I can be my own bounsel, as I wish to plead street this morning at 11.50 colock, fractile to be my own bounsel, as I wish to plead street this morning at 11.50 colock, fractile to rebutton the suspender, but was mable to do so.

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Then according to his story, his new button holes of his suspenders le go of

"Do you know that this means the electric chair"
"I do yer, sir."
"Do you care to make a statement? Don't you think you are incane?"
"All I care to say is that I am guilty I presume that my head is all right and I think my work here in Brooklyn for the last fifteen years will speak well for it."

Bell was held without ball and committed to the Raymond Street Jail to awalt the action of the Grand Jury.

Tried Suicide With Insect Powder.

Mrs. Anne Gergelerich, of No. 154 West Thirty-second sireet, Stempted suicide it is supposed to the last night by eating insect powder. She last night by eating insect powder. She had been despondent for several days.

distent.

Engineer Duffy Supposed to thave the last of the Bridge was found by a Fail.

(special to The Evening World)

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 25.—Edward and then Hanky desovered his loss. He made complaint at the West Forty-seventh street police station.

Detective Dale was assigned to the Ringe street draw between Newark and Harrison, better known as the turnpike bridge, was found dead at his post to-day. The engine-house is on an elevation twenty-five feet above the food way, and as Duffy's neck was brolling in the Case was adjourned by Magistrate Zeller, the prisoner being held in \$1,000 bond.

ON READING RAILROAD.

New Accommissioner Helped Illin to Both East and West of Leband

LEBANON, Pa., Dec. 25.-Two wrecks one day and several hours apart on e Reading Railroad, with several

city of a terrible wreck at Hummels Side Court yesterday that he let them engineer and fireman of the rear train

> other and goods scattered over the broken to atoms. The tracks were blocked and no trains could reach this city, disappointing passsengers on their way to spend Christmas and delaying letters and presents. About noon the track was cleared.

COULDN'T STAND ARREST.

Giel Drinks Poison While it

Charge of Officer. DETROIT, Dec. 25.-Nettle Hoose sixteen-year-old girl, drank the contents of a bottle of strychnine early to-day cilcon a few minutes before and placed later at the Emergency Hespital.

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